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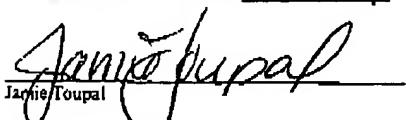
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For: **MODULATION OF GROWTH HORMONE RECEPTOR EXPRESSION
AND INSULIN-LIKE GROWTH FACTOR EXPRESSION**

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 3, 2005, and setting a (1) month period in time for response, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below. A petition to Extend the Time for Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(1) for five months from November 3, 2005 to April 3, 2006 and the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(5) are filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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